



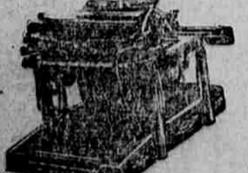
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CRIMINAL COURT MEETS.
Grand and Petit Jurors were Selected
During the Day.
JUDGE TOD'S COURT WAS ALSO CONVENED
County Commissioners Hold a Special
Session—Other Court
Proceedings.

The December term of the criminal dis-
trict court was commenced yesterday.
Judge E. D. Gavin presiding. The only
case of importance tried during the day
was the habeas corpus hearing of John
Anderson, colored, charged with criminal
assault. The prisoner's bond was fixed
at \$2000.

The December term of the Eleventh civil
district court was also opened yesterday,
with Judge Tod on the bench. The regular
routine business of the court was at once
taken up.

The county commissioners held a special
meeting during the afternoon and acted
on some matters relating to the bonds of
the recently elected county officers. All
of the commissioners were present except
Roth.

Fifty-fifth Civil District Court.
The following proceedings were had be-
fore Judge Wilson yesterday:
Tim Cooley vs. Houston East and West
Texas Railroad Company; continued gen-
erally.
City of Houston vs. William Sullivan et
al; judgment for plaintiff; motion for new
trial granted.
W. H. Hutchison vs. H. Henke et al;
bondors' bond used for as her
bondors; judgment against defendant.
Henke for all costs incurred; judgment in
favor of other defendants on their dis-
claimer.

Eleventh Civil District Court.
The following proceedings were had be-
fore Judge Tod yesterday:
F. E. Chew vs. David Fisher; defendant's
plea in abatement overruled; petition for
induction refused; defendant excused.
O. C. Drew et al vs. Houston Cemetery
Company; leave to M. Diering to inter-
vene and intervention refused to A. C.
Allen, special master, for examination.
Mary V. O'Donnell vs. Enoch Keetum
et al; defendant Masterman, W. R. Young
and K. Schaefer have granted leave to file
first amended original answer.
George A. Byers vs. J. A. Hosack et al;
leave to defendant to file first amended
original petition and continued for service.
The following cases were dismissed:
J. J. Seitzinger vs. St. Patrick's, receiver,
Walter J. McGarry vs. Citizens' Electric
Light and Power Company.
James Bate vs. F. W. Kirkland et al.
W. D. Lewis vs. J. T. Ellis.

Criminal District Court.
The following proceedings were had be-
fore Judge Gavin yesterday:
George G. Gary, assault to murder; con-
tinued.
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tinued.
Frank Stamborg, aggravated assault and
battery; note proffered.
Sid Praelner, assault to murder; con-
tinued.
Charles Davis, theft; note proffered.
Eliah Butler, malicious mischief; fined
\$10.
John McLean, theft, misdemeanor; bond
forfeited.
James Lacey, disorderly house; trans-
ferred.
C. F. Winkler, occupation; bond for-
feited.
S. Krantz, appeal; reset for the 15th.
Joe Williams, theft, misdemeanor; con-
tinued.
Birdie Whitley, assault to murder; bond
forfeited.
Ex parte John Anderson, habeas corpus
defendant's bail fixed at \$2000.

The jurors for the term are as follows:
A. M. Shannon, C. W. Palmer, D. C.
Sterling, John T. Baker, M. C. Charles-
worth, John Marshall, Thomas Sullivan, Sr.,
A. R. Garner, William Babbitt, Eli Bings,
James E. Seay, George C. Kissinger, Frank
Howard, Hugh G. Smith, Z. Lyack, Ernest
Seaman, T. M. Hamilton, L. S. Owens,
J. B. Thomas, George Freshwater, George
Bartles, L. E. Rowe, R. L. Craig, W. B.
McNair, D. A. Morris, Fletcher Wilson,
Paul Sausureau, V. N. Ridgely, A. J. Scott,
A. B. Prince, John Reynolds, J. P. Barker,
G. W. Brittain, J. P. Allen, L. Bagler, W. A.
Hinsley, Mike Moran, Dan Hopkins,
P. L. Pittman, William Gooding.
The grand jury is as follows: George A.
Baer, John Bentor, S. E. McAshan, Henry
Brashear, H. Henke, N. Pillot, John
Kemp, G. A. Mistror, A. Darling, J. J.
Gandy, Bertie Greenman, J. W. Harris.
Mr. Brashear was appointed foreman.
Mr. Bruce Wood, E. T. Lewis, Gus Raley
and E. M. Sojourner were appointed bail-
iffs.

County Court.
The following proceedings were had be-
fore Judge Vassar yesterday:
W. G. Hiecheek vs. Brown Bros.; judg-
ment for plaintiff for \$317.92 and 6 per
cent. interest from January 1, 1893.
The following cases were continued:
Mausur & Tibbets Implement Company
vs. J. I. Campbell.
Western Wheel Works vs. John H. Kirby
et al.
Hoyd & Boyd vs. G. W. Kocher,
Cameron, Swilley & Moore vs. H. L.
Hall et al.
McDonick Harvesting Company vs.
James Spence.
Chas. F. Wessner vs. Stadler & Lucas.
Simeon DeBarce vs. C. N. Fisher.
C. W. Hurd vs. Robert E. Beeding.
C. J. Hooper & Co. vs. M. Loosan,
et al.

PROBATE COURT.
Ezzelle Arthur M. and M. J. Henderson,
minors; R. D. Henderson, applicant for
letters of guardianship, filed December 2,
1893.
Suit for Civil District Courts.
In the office of the district clerk yester-
day Charles E. Martin filed suit against
Edison Burns and W. B. Turner for debt
of \$707.83 with accretions on 27 1/2 acres in
the John D. Taylor league.
Bill of Sale.
By a bill of sale filed in the office of the
county clerk yesterday G. A. Johnson

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by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP Co.,
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which the genuine Syrup of Figs has
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Real Estate Transfers.
The following real estate transfers were
filed yesterday:
Young Men's Mutual Real Estate and
Building Association to O. C. Drew,
block 12, Young Men's addition,
south side Buffalo buyout—\$12
O. C. Drew to W. G. Sears, block 12,
Young Men's addition to Houston;
also 208 acres in the Spyar Sluge-
tion survey—500
W. G. Sears to Alfred W. Drew,
block 12, Young Men's addition to
Houston; also 280 acres of land in
the Spyar Slugection survey—1,000
Lizab. de Damiani, surviving wife
of Donald de Damiani and sole heir of P.
Domani, deceased, to H. D. Diering,
lots 25 and 26, subdivision of
the Dupree tract, in W. J. Reiser-
man's lead—350
W. H. Haskins to Mrs. S. Haskins,
lots 26 and 27, 22, 23, 24 and 25,
block 92, Beach Park annex to La
Porte—100
Charles L. Nelson and wife, Gattie,
to J. W. Williams, lot 17, Gray and
Elmer subdivision of the Webster
Burnet survey—418
H. P. Mansfield and wife to J. C.
Hutchison, block 293, La Porte—100

Marriage Licenses.
Marriage licenses were issued to the
following persons yesterday:
Frank Kenia and Jane Hall.
Albert Barenfeld and Effie E. Dawson.

A Change of Place.
Mr. M. C. Kahn of Dallas has accepted
the position of superintendent of the Me-
Came detective agency, made vacant by the
resignation of Robert L. Treadway a few
days ago. Mr. Kahn is well known in
the State, especially in North Texas, and is
a most estimable young man. He has been
connected with the Dallas department
for some six years, occupying the positions
of first and second in command and se-
cretary to the late Chief Arnold. He has
been the State secretary of City Marshals
and Chiefs of Police since their organi-
zation in 1891, and has proved himself
to be an able and efficient officer. He ar-
rived here from Dallas yesterday morning
and immediately took up his new duties.

Daughters of Confederacy.
There was an excellent attendance at
the regular monthly meeting of the Rob-
ert E. Lee chapter yesterday morning at
Christ church parish house and several
members of business disposed of. A song
vote of thanks to Mrs. J. C. Hutchison
for her valuable assistance and lavish
generosity in everything connected with
the Light of Daughters of the Confederate
convention. A vote of thanks was also
given to Rev. H. D. Aves for the use of the
parish house and for the admirable way in
which he conducted the memorial services.
The next meeting will be held at the
home of the second show yesterday
at 10:30 a. m., when the annual election
of chapter officers will be held.

Hon. Gus F. Taylor.
Hon. Gus F. Taylor of Tyler, a leading
merchant and politician of the East Texas
country and a member of the State demo-
cratic executive committee, is in the city.
Like the great majority of the "piney
woods" democrats Mr. Taylor is an en-
thusiastic admirer of Senator Horace Chi-
ten and believes that state-man will easily
succeed himself two years hence. Mr.
Taylor visited the flower show yesterday
and expressed himself as being delighted
with what he saw.

Dallas Officers Here.
Assistant Chief S. H. Beard and Officer
G. A. Smith of the Dallas police depart-
ment are in the city to assist the local
department during the festival week. Chief
Baugh sent Detective Quinn and Ser-
geant Erickson to the Dallas fair and his
North Texas brethren are now returning
the compliment.

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—OF—
The Planters and Mechanics
National Bank,
At Houston, in the State of Texas, at the close
of business, December 1, 1893.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$24,467 72
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,211 75
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	2,608 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	4,969 00
Stocks, securities, furniture and fix- tures	4,534 00
Banking house, furniture and fix- tures	35,508 20
Other real estate and mortgages	83,928 12
Due from National banks (not re- ceived)	65,444 77
Due from State banks and bankers	2,884 19
Due from approved reserve agents	15,500 00
Cheques and other cash items	1,822 25
Notes of other National banks	1,240 00
Fractional paper currency, nickel and cents	22 00
Lawful money reserve in bank, etc.	\$11,100 00
Legal tender notes	12,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treas- urer (1 per cent of circulation)	2,500 00
Total	\$200,945 74
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$200,000 00
Surplus	25,999 69
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	48,957 16
National bank notes outstanding	15,500 00
Due to other National banks	1,822 25
Due to State banks and bankers	2,884 19
Dividends unpaid	22 00
Individual deposits subject to check	214,407 74
Cashiers checks outstanding	1,247 12
Total	\$200,945 74

State of Texas, County of Harris, ss.
I, O. C. DREW, Cashier of the above-named
bank, do solemnly swear that the above state-
ment is true to the best of my knowledge and
belief.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this
6th day of December, 1893.
O. C. DREW, Cashier.
RIGDEN (CAREY) BLAKE,
Notary Public, Harris County, Texas.
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Attorneys.

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Information Wanted.
To the Editor of The Post.
Lima, Ohio, December 1—I had an uncle
who went to Texas in the early days. His
name was Charles Drennon. He was one
of the prominent men in the Mexican war.
He was donated several hundred acres of
land for his services. I think probably
some of the land is in Harris county. I
have corresponded with several men in
your State and have failed so far of find-
ing out where he died or where he lived.
Now, if any readers of The Post can give
me any information on this subject I will
appreciate it.
HOYT'S "MILK WHITE FLAG."
The satire in Hoyt's "Milk White Flag"
is directed against popular fads and
customs, and while it is keen and pungent,
it is at all times of a good-natured charac-
ter, and the victims usually laugh the
harshest. "Milk White Flag" of all the
Hoyt productions, is said to be at once the
most generous and comical. There is less
horse-play and more spectacular effects
than is usual in farce-comedy, and the
production partakes a trifle of the nature
of a modern comic opera, with its
sally costumed vivandieres, color bea-
ries, brass band and chorus of feminine beau-
ties. The characters are nearly all officers
of the Rainbow Guards, whose colorful looks
like the great Napoleon. The regimental
band is frequently introduced and its ex-
cellent playing gives variety to the enter-
tainment. Mary Marble as the Orphan is
an attractive little actress and her im-
pression is the least of cleverness.
John W. Dunne burlesques Napoleon in
a capital manner and the entire supporting
cast is strictly up to the standard of form-
id of Hoyt productions. They come to Sweeney
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